THE AMENDMENTS.

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high remium, and the same deemals in a very few years— this cosideration the time is appropriate when there will substanting bonds of the state ed State in which to invest at

carry. The same applies to the school lands and proceeds of ale. The state is h. ld, under the ed smendments, responsible for felavestment of the school fund e counties are held responsible afe investment of the proceeds ir school lands. This is right, the first place, it will force the agre to be careful in the enact-of the law providing for the inin streets, sewers and other inclimprovements not to exceed his cents on the \$100 valuation den cents additional each for and bridges, making a maxiar for state, county and town or aposes not exceeding \$1.65 on valuation, making a differsible. Kellogg pleaded not guilty, and the proposed amendments. Both ments provide for additional the payment of state, county the p of thirty-five cents as a maxi-

ree of article seven of the conn for the reason that it sepae school fund tax from the genvenue tax. In the first place, it known that under the constlone-fourth of the general revset aside for common school ses. If you reduce the occupa-ud ad valorem taxes below what stitution allows, you also reduce hool fund, and hence the schools t operate but three or four in the year. There is, and has our state treasury a large surat breeds extravagance; none of urplus can be used for schools, the constitution only allows arth of the general revenue to The whole state has cried out t this surplus in the treasury. ablic debt is being paid off and oon be extinguished. All the exares of the state government se public debt can easily be met luced occupation and ad valotaxes. Fifteen cents on the hun-dollars with the three-fourths of pation taxes will run the state ent. If you reduce the taxes the present system you reduce school funds and practically de-the schools. The proposed sment to section three, article sallows a maximum school tax of y cents on the one hundred dol-nd in addition one fourth the ocpoll tax as is allowed by the constitution.

is the maximum, and if the funds tovided should run the schools n six months, the twenty and valerem tax may be reduced. counties, any one or all of them.
The divided by legislative enactinto school districts, and the
test holders of any such district.
The thirds vote of all the qualified rety tax-paying voters of such d for such purpose, may levy a al tax not to exceed twenty cents the one hundred dollars, as an adnal fund for the support of free the limitation of twenty cents on the limitation of the whole of the limitation of the fathers of the republic and they were in favor of free cents. Towns and cities may do so, wed they were in favor of free book and dedicated four leagues of each county for that purpose ers of the constitution of 1845 provision for free schools. The station of 1851 did likewise. Difent legislatures added the alternate al revenue, so that the general state as may be reduce I and the schools mintained at least six months in the ser. The other at. The other part of the amendsat, providing for school districts is that I any part of a county county in the state district system, and county the district system, and county the county in the state district system, and county the remedy for you. Sold by L. N. Brunswig & Co.

two-thirds of the owners (tax-payers) desire to increase their taxes so as to run their free schools more than six months in the year, they should have the right to do it. It is a should have the right to do it. It is a republican feature of our institutions and the one most dearly prized by American people, that the majority shall rule, but for the protection of the minority, this provision in relation to the district school tax, requires a two-thirds vote to favor it before it can be operative.

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To sum up and to take the entire subjects considered to enable subject of the sum up and to take the entire subject of taxation, as affected by the subject of taxation, as affected by the amendments to subject of taxation, as affected by the subject of taxation as it now stands, the amendments, we find that under the constitution now is, the assumed to take the entire subject of taxation as affected by the subject of taxation as it now stands, the amendments, we find that under the constitution now is, the amendments, we find that under the constitution now is, the subject of taxation as affected by the subject of taxation as affected by the subject of taxation, as the 5 per cents, which cents less on the \$100, under the proposed amendment than under the constitution as it now exists. As a matapproximg when there will approximing bonds of the state outsinding bonds of the state outsinding bonds of the state outsinding bonds of the state of state in which to invest at without an amendment to the county of the state of the state outside the s ter of course this statement does not sing from it can be used. The ture will have to provide by law other additional securities the hall be invested in if the amend-

The Dallas Postmaster's Official Head Decapitated-The Presidential Party.

Washington, July 30.—The president appointed the following postmasters: L. S. Garrison, Dallas, Tex., vice Amos A. Whissen, suspended; Harris W. Rankin, Hempstead, Tex., vice H. L. Rankin, deceased.

me in partial in the enactifie to be careful in the enactifie aw providing for the instand make the people careful by selection of their legister and commissioners' court.

Washington, July 30.—The president and party left for Louisville at 4 o'clock this morning via the Baltimore & Ohio railroad. Before leaving Washington the president and Postmaster of interest in the country of the constitution for the master-Gresham decided upon the master-Gresham decided upon the names of a number of gentlemen who will be appointed postmasters at president along. The true state of affairs is very difficult to ascertain. The telegraph company allege that it is able to handle its business as usual and promulgate bulletins stating that there be no delay in the transmission of messages and that the strike does no material damage. On the other hand, the will be appointed postmasters at presidental offices during the presidents's absence, blanks having been signed and left with the postofice authorities for that purpose. Postmaster-General Gresham will not return to Washing-pathies of the people appears to the slow length along. The true state of affairs is very difficult to ascertain. The telegraph company allege that it is able to handle its business as usual and promulgate bulletins stating that there be no delay in the transmission of messages and that the strike does no material damage. On the other hand, the or that purpose. Postmaster-General Gresham will not return to Washington until next Saturday. He will go as far as Chicago with the president's party.

THE ST. LOUIS POSTOFFICE.

Kellogg in for it.

Washington, July 30.—In the District Criminal Court, to-day, Judge Wylie rendered a decision overruling the motion to quash the indictment in the Kellogg star route cases. Wilson, counsel for Kellogg, noted an exception and asked that the case be set

SAN ANTONIO.

The Kress Court Martial-The Excursionists - A Fight Between Darkeys-The Gun Club. Special to the Gazette

San Autonio, July 30 -The Kress court martial proves to be a complete farce, probably instigated by some per-son who wanted his position as chief of

The New Orleans excursionists are doing the city. Several will remain. King Adams and Charles King, negroes, fought over a game of eards yesterday. Adams was stabbed in the abdomen, breast and neck, and will

The Adams gun club have accepted the challenge of the Austin gun club, and will contest about Thursday. The team will be Messrs, Hill, Al. Smith, Flovel, Young and Cassette.

A floating body was found in the river this morning and upon recovery, it proved to be that of Pierre Royl, a plasterer from Mobile, Alabama, who was addicted to excessive drink.

To-day was the warmest of the sea-

SHERMAN.

A Chicken Thief Shot - Watermelon Wealth -Personal Items.

Special to the Gazette.

Sherman, July 30.—Last evening an unknown party, while attempting to steal chickens from the premises of Mr. Geo. Stubblefield, received a load of buck shot which felled him to the ground, but he was carried away by a "pal," before he could be identified.

A farmer living near Sherman re-ported that he had sold from thirty acres of watermelons this season enough to bring him \$1,500, and would receive on sales for the balance of the season as much more.

The wife of Lawyer Wolf, of McKinney, is visiting in the city.

Mrs. Capt. T. J. Brown, returned from a visit to Callahan county to-

Dr. Sample, Rev. Keanand, Rev. Edward Morris, were here yesterday as delegates to the ordination of Rev. Sanbom, as minister of the Congrega-tional church at this place, which took place last night.

SENOR BARCA.

Papers Left by the Suicided Spanish Minister-His Will and Whos.

disms of railway and canal and other as for the same purpose. The people for the state have always sustained as less and legislation to secure be beaucogatic and Republican paramanent support. Hence the school system, as replaced to their liberal and a should be eliminated from the genus and resume, so that the general state and anatained at least six months in the state. display, but only a solema requiem

Brandon, but did not attend campmeeting as there was some mistake
about the time for the commencement,
but nevertheless all enjoyed themselves
hugely as they had supplied themselves with plenty of catables.

H. P. Harrington & Bro. have commenced receiving their new stock of
groceries.

from home on a visit to some relatives in the old states, which makes his sickness much harder to bear as his

loved ones are away.

Our postmaster's flock of sheep have increased from two to five now. He thinks of moving them out west when they increase a little more.

George M. Brandon, one of our most popular young gentlemen, left last week for Temple. Our loss is Temple's gain.

The GAZETTE still continues to be the favorite for dispensing the news.

Drafts or checkers is almost an epidemic here. Everybody plays the game when not otherwise engaged.

INS AND OUTS.

Status of the Telegraphers' Strike at Home

The great fight between the Western Union Telegraph company and the operators still drags its slow length

pathies of the people appear to be with the strikers. The latter by private ad-vices keep posted as to the progress of the strike all over the country, and are THE ST. LOUIS POSTOFFICE.

Washington, July 30.—It has been that matters are working smoothly for the ferction of public life streets, sewers and other the streets, sewers and other the streets, sewers and other the streets.

Washington, July 30.—It has been that matters are working smoothly for the mand the victory will eventually be theirs. In the work the strikers appear to be well supplied with money, but in Texas, although they have so far kept a STIFF UPPER LIP, they do not seem to be so flesh of cash. Their not seem to be so flesh of cash. Their embarrassment, if indeed they are em-barrassed, is only temporary, for the brotherhood is a branch of the Knights of Labor and so strong an organ-ization will not suffer any of its members to want. In Hous-

> Merida, from Vera Cruz to New York, left eleven cases of yellow fever at that port. The steamer was disinfected.
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> Seems to be that although the Western not keep it up much longer. The "outs" are becoming more not keep it up much longer. The "outs" are becoming more c nfident day by day and assert boldly that a few hours will witness the termination of the struggle. In conversation with a striker yesterday a Gazette reporter was informed that private advices to the brotherhood say that the telegraph offices at New Orleans and Galveston are ready to "THROW UP THEIR HANDS."

In Dallas the strikers are confident and declare that they will stay out until their terms are agreed to. Although they have received remittances from the general fund of the Brotherhood and offers of assistance from the business men of the city, they have gone to work to raise mency without taxing their friends' pocket-books. They per-fected arrangements for a grand pienic and ball, which was given yesterday and the tickets, which were sold at fifty cents, were purchased by the I beral hearted people of Dallas who were anxious to assist the striking op-

the situation remains unchanged.
The men who have stuck by the company are still on deck.
On Sunday the men obtained some rest, and for a day or two they will feel comparatively. rest, and for a day or two they will feel comparatively fresh. Two new mon have been sent to this office and the others are thus somewhat relieved. Whether these men will remain faithful to the company or join the ranks of the strikers is a conundrum. The "outs" appear very confident, and assert that their cause now wears a better aspect than ever. One of them informed a GAZETTE reporter yesterday that the executive board of the broth-erhood was called into consultation by the management of the telegraph company early in the afternoon, and the opinion prevails among them that a settlement of their differences will be reached in a few bours. The "outs" appear confident that the great strike will now be settled and the men return to work at once.

A Lively Time.

Yesterday morning a difficulty occurred at the corner of Houston and Fourth streets between Houston and Fourth streets between Chris. Rintleman and Frank Kerns, which proved anything but pleasant for the former. Mr. Rintleman was inspecting his buildinggin course of erection at the above mentioned corner, when Frank Kerns and another man approached. Kerns demanded of a tinner employed on the building some money which he alleged the man owed him and declared that he should not go on with his work until he paid not go on with his work until he paid it. Upon this Mr. Rintleman ap-proached and told Kerns that he must not interfere with the men, but the latter became very warm and insisted that the man should not work until he got his money. Rintleman said he would work and both becoming angry harsh words were exchanged, when Rintleman was struck in the head with a brick, a general fight then ensued between Rintleman and Kerns and the man who accompanied him. The odds being against him Rintleman got the worst of it, and in the struggle his watch chain was broken in bits and strewn along the sidewalk. His vest

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Local and Personal Points From Hillsbero. Correspondence of Gazette. Hillsboro, July 30.—Sunday - was a dull day in town, but a great number of our people went to the campmeetings around in the country. A large crowd from here went to Brandon, but did not attend campmeeting as there was some mistake about the time for the about the time for

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